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Dr. Jane Henney, Commissioner
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Dear Dr. Henney:

The problem of bacteria being resistant to antibiotics is reaching alarming proportions. Scientists tell us that this situation has come about because of overuse by humans and by overuse in animal feed. What will we do when we no longer have antibiotics that are effective against infections and diseases?

Because of my concern, I am writing you to urge the FDA to limit new uses and to revoke its approvals for existing uses of antibiotics in animal feed, consistent with the recommendations of the World Health Organization and the Centers for Disease Control.

Sincerely,
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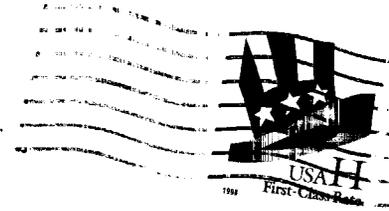
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